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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN PATENT application of:

Yoshiharu HIRAKATA et al.

Application No.: 09/311,070

Filed: May 13, 1999

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Art Unit: 2871

Examiner: D. Nguyen

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Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

October 15, 2001

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed June 15, 2001, the period for response having been extended by one (1) month, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 3, 5, and 8 to read as follows:

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1. (Twice amended) A liquid crystal display device comprising:  
a switching element formed on a substrate;  
a pixel electrode formed of a transparent conductive film, said electrode being connected to said switching element; and  
a reflection layer formed of a dielectric multi-layer film, which is arranged in contact with said pixel electrode,  
wherein said pixel electrode has a thickness of 50.5 nm to 88.4 nm, and said thickness is satisfied with  $\lambda/4$ .